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House Group Questioned CIA Projects

Florida Congressman Dante Fascell said today that agencies other than the CIA could "effectively and publicly" meet Communist attempts to take over international meetings and shape them to Communist ends.

He pointed out that a House subcommittee of which he is chairman for the last five years has been warning of covert activities such as those which have involved the CIA in a current controversy.

Fascell is chairman of the House Foreign Affairs subcommittee which two years ago spearheaded an investigation of the controversial Project Camelot.

Fascell said today, in part: "President Johnson's order directing a study of CIA involvement in American educational activities is a step in the right direction. A thorough review of the covert operations which have been brought to light in the past few days is certainly needed."

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